

What's Happening in Trubyville



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If you believe it, you can achieve it!

Reading:

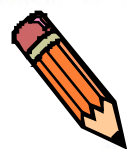
We jumped right into our novel called, **Tuck Everlasting**, a story about a family that finds the fountain of youth.

We will be completing several projects with this book as well as answering comprehension questions. Students are able to listen to the novel through our sound system as well as read along.

When we finish, students will be able to take an AR test, helping them work towards the 16 points needed each 9 weeks. Check to see if your child took their AR tests over the summer reading novels.

Math

We took our first math test yesterday, and the scores are fantastic. We will keep moving through our new math series and will take our 2nd math assessment next Thursday over lessons 6-10.



Learn

AR Points so far this 9 Weeks:

Pocket Person

Early this week students selected a famous explorer to research. They printed off information from the internet and worked on highlighting information for their note cards.

Students should be working on the creation of the Pocket Person at home while we are working on the research at school. The project is due Wed. Sept. 16th.

Science

We started in our Science book this week learning about the Periodic Table and the elements that are listed. The students also learned that carbon dioxide is a gas that is dense enough to extinguish a flame. I had the students research online 4 elements and create a flip book with the information. Next week, we will continue learning about elements as well as compounds and mixtures.

Another science project next week will be a design challenge called "Puff Mobiles." Look for results in next weeks newsletter.



Luke, Dylan and Ike are working on their spelling together.

DOL, DOM & DOG

Each week students must complete these 3 assignments. Please encourage your child to plan ahead and not procrastinate. Waiting until Thursday night will not allow enough time to get good grades on these assignments.